

## EXECUTIVE MANSION GETS YEARLY BATH

Firemen Spray President's Home; Capitol Is Next.

Making the White House whiter was the assigned duty yesterday afternoon of a detail of firemen from various downtown companies who were called upon shortly after 2 p. m. to answer an annual housecleaning call to the Executive Mansion. Excitement was caused when the fire engine appeared in the vicinity of the President's home, but it quickly subsided after the crowd saw the firemen nonchalantly rolling up their sleeves, not for fire duty, but "wash" duty.

Fire Chief S. J. Wagner, commenting on the domestic activity of his men yesterday, stated that such baths are given the White House once each year. The only other building here so honored by the fire department is the Capitol.

Five or six sections of hose, Mr. Wagner also stated, were used in the job of washing away the dust accumulation of the year from the Executive Mansion. President Wilson, who was enjoying a river trip, was not at home to witness the annual spraying.

### PURELY PERSONAL.

William J. Collins and family have left for a two weeks' visit to Bluemont, Va.

Mrs. F. Collier left yesterday for a two weeks' tour through a number of the Northern cities.

Miss Mary Stewart will stop at Lykens Penn for two weeks and will then continue Belvedere, where she will permanently reside.

Miss Rosie Daldenbach left the city yesterday to spend a short vacation with her mother at Colonial Beach.

Marshall H. Ward is spending the week-end with his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Foster.

Mr. Paul Schwartz has taken a position in the Postoffice Department.

Miss Minerva Pray left Washington yesterday for an extended automobile trip.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Mills and daughter, Gladys, started yesterday for an auto trip to Boston.

Miss Helen Sturtevant will leave shortly for a trip to the Maine woods. J. A. Hoover left yesterday for a trip to Rockaway Beach, N. Y.

Jesse Romaine, of Baltimore, is stopping with friends in Lincoln Park.

Thomas Feldman, of the War Department, left last night for Cape May, N. J.

Hugh Cooksey, of the Navy Yard, has returned to work after a week's illness.

Harry Liebman has received an appointment in the Government Printing Office.

Hubert Capelan, of Troy, N. Y., is visiting friends in Georgetown.

Elmer Ragsdale has received a temporary appointment in the General Land Office.

Joseph Callan, of the Census Bureau, is spending his vacation at Colonial Beach.

Charles F. Neabitt is out of the city for the week-end, spending the time with his family in upper Maryland.

Superintendent Charles Brunner, of the District Bathing Beach, is making preparations for a short visit to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Winthrop Murray Crane and her sister, Mrs. Frederic A. Keep, are on an auto trip to York Beach, Me.

Mrs. Hare Lippincott has arrived in Newport for the summer.

Mrs. Edward J. Foy, wife of Lieut. Foy, U. S. N., left Washington during the week, after spending several days as a guest of Miss Margaret McCord.

R. C. Jones left yesterday for a motor trip to York, Pa., to be followed by a trip through Pennsylvania.

Robert A. Moulden, son of Jarvis B. Moulden, of the Government Printing Office, who enlisted in an Ohio unit of the Aviation Service, Signal Corps, is now on his way to San Antonio, to begin training.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Mills and Miss Gladys Mills, with Miss Minerva Pray, head of the Arthur School playground, will leave today for an automobile trip to Atlantic City, New York and Boston.

Miss Helen Sturtevant, assistant instructor at the Arthur School playground, will leave shortly for a trip to Maine, where she will spend her summer vacation.

### FUNERALS.

Funeral services for Howard H. Belden, who died Thursday, will be held at Spaulding's chapel tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will be at Arlington National Cemetery.

Funeral services for Maj. Gen. Weston, who died Friday in a hospital at Baycliffe Manor, N. Y., will be held today at Arlington National Cemetery, with military honors.

Funeral services of Mrs. Kate La Montagne, widow of the late Pierre La Montagne, of New York, who died in Atlantic City last Wednesday, were held Friday at St. John's Church, with Rev. Roland Cotton Smith officiating. Interment was at Oak Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Montague is survived by two sisters, Miss Elizabeth P. Patterson and Mrs. Francis Winslow, both of this city. Her home, spending the summer at the center of social affairs about 35 years ago.

The pallbearers were Brig. Gen. Charles L. McCawley, U. S. M. C.; Col. David D. Porter, U. S. M. C.; Rep. Senator Blair Lee, J. Vaness Phillips, Corcoran Thom, Truxton Beale, Alexander B. Legare and George Howard.

### SUGGESTS PUBLICITY BUREAU FOR NATION

Uncle Sam as an advertising manager and a publicity expert is what Senator Cummins, of Iowa, proposes. In a resolution introduced yesterday, Mr. Cummins suggests there be formed a Bureau of Publicity under the direction of the Secretary of Commerce. This would handle all government advertising and supply publicity for the various government departments, and also "compel honesty" in advertising throughout the land. The director would be paid \$5,000 annually.

### Local Women Assist

In Red Cross Work

Ever since the Red Cross War Council was appointed by President Wilson, earnest efforts have been making to secure effective co-operation with the Red Cross by all allied war-relief organizations.

Prominent among the organizations assisting the District of Columbia Chapter of the American Red Cross are the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Eastern Star, Daughters of Isabella and the Women's War Relief, which constitute auxiliaries of the local chapter.

These organizations are now engaged in the making of surgical dressings and hospital supplies.

### MCGONAGHY GETS JOB HERE.

As director of publicity in the Committee on Public Information, Amos Brown has been succeeded by N. C. McGonaghy, formerly of the New York Mail.

**S. Kann Sons & Co.**  
"THE BUSY CORNER" 8TH ST. AND PENNA. AVE.

Open 8:15 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
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August 5, 1917  
Weather—Always Good  
at Kann's.

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## MOTOR PERFECT SUMMER MOTOR TOGGERY ACCESSORIES

### Chic Motor Hats and Caps

—A host of charming styles await My Lady's selection.

—Made of poplin, taffeta, and combination of straw and silk.

—In the season's best colorings.

—With prices ranging according to style and material, from

**\$1 to \$6.98**

Kann's—Street Floor.

### Auto Heel Protectors For the Woman Who Drives Her Own Car

—Of special interest to all women drivers. They are easily and quickly attached and detached, and protect the heel and counter of the shoe from scuffing.

Come in and try on a pair.

**Pair, \$1.50**

Kann's—Fourth Floor.

### MOTOR COATS

—are so charming you would not think what splendid service they are made to give.

—But each is made for durability as well as smart style.

—Such materials as linen, Palm Beach cloth, mercerized pongee and mohair.

—Some with regular sleeves; others with loose raglan sleeves to wear over regular outdoor costume. Some belted and others plain; some with pockets and in full effect that are quite dressy.

—Sizes for misses and women, 16 years to 46 bust.

**At \$2.95 to \$8.95**

Kann's—Second Floor.

### SPORT VEILS

For the Motorist

—In the fashionable Shetland finish.

—White with colored borders; or colors with white borders.

—You should have one to wear with your motor bonnet.

**Each, 50c**

Kann's—Street Floor.

### THERMOS BOTTLES

For the Motor Trip

—Thermos Bottles, nickel plated, corrugated holders, pint size. Regularly \$2.75, tomorrow \$2.39.

Quart size, regularly \$3.75, special tomorrow \$3.29.

—Food Jars and Lunch Kits, variously priced.

Kann's—East Room, Street Floor.

### Smart Sweaters for Motorists

—Many times the sweater proves just right for a spin in the car. These are unusually pretty and new.

—Fiber Silk Sweaters, in fancy stitch style, with sailor collar. Fitted at the waist with sash. Choice of rose, corn or white. **\$10.95**

Special at .....

—Silk Fiber Sweaters, made with sailor collar and sash; pocket; turn-back cuffs. Choice of rose, white, purple, gold **\$8.75**

Kann's—Second Floor.

### Paper Drinking Cups, Paper Napkins, Etc.

—For the luncheon outfit. For the picnic or motor trip.

—Paper Drinking Cups, packed in long, handy packages for motorists. 50 cups for 25c.

—Dennison's White Paper Napkins, 100 in a package, at 15c.

—Papyrus Plates, 8-inch diameter, 25 for 10c.

—Wax Paper, a roll, 5c.

—Wooden Knives and Forks, and the knife WILL CUT; one fork and one knife in a set, at 5c.

—Lemonade Straws, 40 in a package, for 5c.

Kann's—East Room, Street Floor.

### A WIZARD DUSTER and a can of Wizard Automobile Polish



Will keep your car looking like new. Buy the 2 for the price of 1 tomorrow. Bring this adv. with

**\$1.00**

and get one Wizard 50c Auto Duster and 1 quart can Wizard Automobile Polish sold regularly at \$1. Kann's—Third Floor.

### Auxiliary Seats for Your Touring Car

—Strong iron construction, painted black, seat and top rest nicely upholstered.

—Fold compactly and can be carried under seat when not in use.

**Chairs**  
AS PICTURED AT LEFT  
**\$2.25, \$2.75**

**Stools**  
AS PICTURED AT RIGHT  
**\$1.00, \$1.50**

CUSHION—to support the back also to place the driver in a comfortable position while driving.

**\$1.25, \$1.45, \$2.95**

Kann's—Fourth Floor.

### MOTOR LUGGAGE

—Round Auto-Tire Trunks, about 22 inches in diameter, with lock and key; straps attach to tires; sliding door that opens space equal to the average suit case. \$5.00 kind.

**SPECIAL \$2.93**

### Black Auto Suit Cases

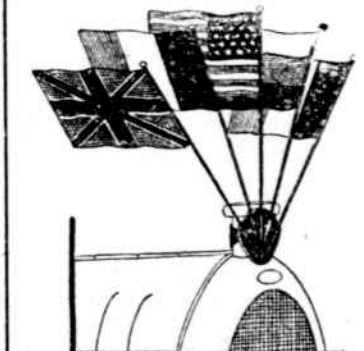
Lot 1—Full size, black grained cases; extra deep (6 inches); fine strap goes entirely around case; 24-inch size. **\$1.93**

Lot 2—Nickel trimmed suit cases; nickel lock, rings, rivets and clamps; 7 inches deep; leather corners; cretonne lined; extra wide straps. At..... **\$3.93**

—Black Auto Hat Boxes for running board or inside of the car; cretonne lined; sizes for one to four hats; smooth enameled drill covering; shirred pockets; extra top tray..... **\$4.93**

—Brown Fiber Auto Trunks, 31 inches long; easily handled; plenty room for wardrobe for summer; spacious tray; flat cold rolled pressed trimmings..... **\$8.93**

Kann's—Third Floor.



### FLAGS For Your Car

Fan Shape Sets of 7 Allies

—All silk, strongly made, hemmed, small flags on gilt spear staff; American, English, French, Belgian, Italian, Russian, Japanese. With metal holder, complete.

**98c**

—New Auto Spin Flags, can't tear, whip out or fade, because it is metal, and whirls gloriously around in the wind.

At..... **50c**

—Auto Fender Flag Holders, each..... **19c**

—Auto Flag Holders, for 1, 2 or 3 flags. Choice..... **10c**

Kann's—Third Floor.

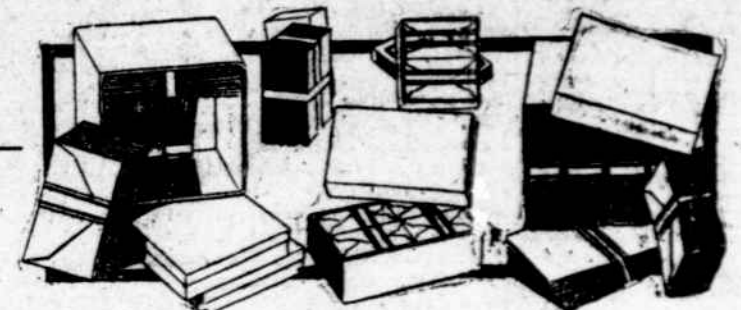
### WOMEN'S MOTOR GLOVES

—Strong, durable gloves in smart styles.

—Slip-over Tan Motor Gloves, with reinforced stitching on fingers and thumbs; excellent quality kid. Pair..... **\$2.50**

—Washable Strap Wrist Gloves, slip-over style; in black, gray, tan, champagne and white; may be washed with soap and water as you do your hands. Pair..... **\$2.00**

Kann's—Street Floor.



## Mill Sale of Fine Stationery

Forty-five Packing Cases filled with Six Mills' Overstock and Show-room Samples, Offered Beginning Tomorrow, at Tremendous Price-savings.

—All of it is in perfect condition although some of the boxes are slightly soiled from being handled.

—At the Sale Prices each item would be RARE VALUE even under normal conditions, but at present marked prices on paper our offers are truly SENSATIONAL.

—It is a wonderful OPPORTUNITY to supply vacation and summer needs, and even to buy to lay away for next Christmas giving.

3024 Boxes Gold Initials, containing 12 cards and 12 sheets of paper, with 24 envelopes to match. This sale.

20c Box, 3 Boxes, 50c

106500 Linen Finish Envelopes, 10 packs (250 envelopes) in box, \$1.00. 45c

value. This sale, box..... \$1.65 per thousand.

(Sold only in boxes.)

Over 2,000 Samples of Paper and Correspondence Cards, in white, blue, buff, pink, gray, green and lavender (not all shades in each style). Extra special. This 25c

sale, box.....

Kann's—Street Floor

Gold Beveled Paper and Cards, in white and delicate shades, including fancy finishes and novelties; also 217 boxes large cabinets, containing 48 sheets and 48 envelopes. This sale

35c Box, 3 Boxes \$1.00

Novelty Paper and Cards, including tissue lined envelopes of many varieties and such well-known brands as Orion, Louis XIV, Isabella, etc. Smart styles and fine qualities. Values to \$1.25. This sale, 39c and..... 50c

Kann's—Street Floor

### A Bargain in Ribbed Underwear

—Women's Swiss Ribbed Lisle Vests and bodices; manufacturers' "seconds," in white and pink; square and "V" neck; bodices finished with tapes. These are subject to slight imperfections.

—If perfect would sell at 35c each. 18c

Monday choice at.....

(Or three for 50c.)

Kann's—Street Floor

### Pearl Buttons

—Skirts, Suits and Dresses depend largely upon pearl buttons for the trimming, and many buttons are needed. Buy them tomorrow at special price.

Four different sizes, in fishtail style, a card..... 10c

Kann's—Street Floor

## VOILES Fresh, Cool and Sweet as a Dewy Morning

Reduced for Monday's Selling

—Voile certainly does appeal to womankind in weather like the present, and the pretty designs—floral effects, conventional patterns, checks, organdy patterns, plaids, some self-striped with over-floral designs, on plain white or tinted grounds, in light colored and dark colored effects—are all unusually attractive.

—Choose tomorrow from many qualities and patterns formerly selling at 28c, 35c, 39c and 50c yard. MONDAY'S PRICE A YARD..... 25c

Kann's—Street Floor

## 3 Great Silk Specials in a Final Clearance Sale Monday

—\$2.00 Satin striped Marisettes, in ten good street shades. Shades that will be most desirable for dresses and separate waists. Here are the colors—

—Navy blue, brown, gendarme, Russian green, Copenhagen, reseda, French blue, amethyst, black, also in black and white combinations. 40 inches wide. **\$1.25**

—500 yards white washable Corduroy, 36 inches wide; wide wale effect. This is our regular \$1.00 quality. To close, at, a yard..... **69c**

—1,000 yards natural color Pongee. This is the genuine Chinese Pongee, 33 inches wide, and our regular \$1.00 quality. Monday a yard..... **69c**

### THE 1917 AUTUMN SILKS

—have arrived in many new weaves and colors.

—There are beautiful new plaids in rich combinations, satin stripes, and new velvet corduroys in the new fall shades. 36 inch widths.

—Come in and see these new silks, and plan out your new fall costume.

Kann's—Street Floor

## A Manufacturer's Neckwear Clearance of Samples

—and small lots provides this really sensational opportunity to purchase so much under real value.

—LOT ONE: Among these are beautiful sleeveless net guimpes, with square sailor collar backs, trimmed with tucks and Oriental lace, Georgette crepe frills and net fichus, and net collars trimmed with Oriental lace; colored and white Georgette crepe collars; also all white Georgette collars and sets, some trimmed with tucks, some with imitation filet lace and imitation flat point Venise. Also in the assortment are fichu broad-cloth sets and pique collars and sets. Worth up to \$2.25. CHOICE..... **79c**

—LOT TWO: Contains fichus, lace vests, organdy vests, organdy collar and cuff sets, plain organdy collars, net jabots, Georgette crepe collars; some colored crepe collars and gingham collar and cuff sets; all exceptional values at..... **29c**

Kann's—Street Floor